(c) whether Government have achieved targets fixed for first phase;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR SAHU): (a) Yes, Sir. Review of the progress of the implementation of NREGA is done on regular basis. NREGA has been reviewed at the highest level in Prime Minister's review meeting on 20.6.2007. Performance Review Committee meetings are undertaken by the Minister of Rural Devleopment and Secretary (Rural Development) from time to time. During the year 2007-2008, three Regional Review Committee meetings have been held to cover review of all States. These were held at Orissa, Guwahati and Jaipur. A Central Employment Guarantee Council was constituted on 22.9.2006 to review and monitor the implementation of the Act The Council has so far held three meetings and reviewed the implementation of NREGA. Members of the Council also conduct field visits in various States to oversee the progress of the Act. An Executive Committee constituted under the Central Council reviewed the progress of the Act in its meeting held on 16.8.2007.

Progress of NREGA was also reviewed in the interactive session with Members of Parliament held during 20th - 23rd August, 2007 and 5th -6th September, 2007. National Level Monitors (NLMs) and Area Officers of the Ministry visit various districts to oversee the progress of the Act. The Area Officers have been directed to cover 10 villages during their each visit. Vigilance and Monitoring Committees have also been set up to review the implementation of the Act.

(b)The issues that have emerged during these reviews relate to (i) timely payment of wages, (ii) timely measurement, (iii) regular monitoring and supervision and (iv) record maintenance and grievance redressal.

(c) and (d) NREGA is demand driven. The number of days for which employment is provided will depend on the number of days for which employments is demanded by a household. Hence, no targets can be fixed under NREGA. In the first phase, NREGA was extended to 200 districts with effect from 2.2.2006. During the year 2006-07, a total of 2.12 crore households had demanded employment out of which 2.10 crore were provided employment in these districts.

Rural development schemes in Haryana

†397. SHRI AJAY SINGH CHAUTALA: Will in the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of sampoorna Grameen Rozgar Yojana, Swarna Jayanti Grameen Rozgar

Yojana, Indira Awaas Yojana and Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana being implemented in Haryana for its uplifitment for the last two years;

(b)the success rate of each of the scheme in State of Haryana; and

(c)the amount allocated and spent under the said schemes?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR SAHU): (a) to (c) The funds allocated, released and utilized under Swamjayanti Gram Swarojgar Yojana (SGSY), Sampoorna Grameen Rozgar Yojana (SGRY), Indira Awaas Yojana (LAY) and Pradhan mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) during the last two years i.e. 2005-06 and 2006-07 in Haryana are given in Statement.

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†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

Statement

Funds allocated, released and utilised under SGRY, SGSY, IAY and PMGSY during last two years (2005-2007)

(Rs. in Lakhs)

S.No.	Schemes*	Total Available Funds		Utilisation		% Utilisation	
		2005-06	2006-07	2005-06	2006-07	2005-06	2006-07
1	SGRY	10073.38	10144.77	9531.74	8497.40	94.62	83.76
2	SGSY	1911.46	1894.23	1888.51	1857.92	89.80	98.08
3	IAY	2845.63	2497.98	2448.31	2707.98	86.04	108.41
4	PMGSY	2056.00*	20043.00*	4842.00	13652.00	236.51	68.11

*The amount released during the years.
SGRY- Sampooma Grameen Rozgar Yojana
SGRY- Swaranjayanti Gram Swarojgar Yojana
IAY-Indira Awaas Yojana
PMGSY- Pradhan Mantn Gram Sadak Yojana

PMGSY in Pauri Garhwal of Uttarakhand

398. SHRI RAJ NATH SINGH: Will in the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 2405 given in the Rajya Sabha on 13 December, 2006 and state:

(a) whether Central and State Government have received any representation from the MPs during 2006 regarding the non completion of the Pauri-Satyakhal-Dehalchouri, Distt.. Pauri Garhwal road under PMGSY;

(b)if so, by when the project is likely to be completed and if not, the reason therefor; and

(c) the action being initiated against the officials responsible for the delay and submission of incorrect information of the road?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR SAHU): (a) and (b) Information is being collected and will be laid on the table of the House.

(c) Approval was accorded for upgradation of two section 5.5 km. of the Pauri to Dehalchouri road under Phase 1 of Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY). This work (of 5.5 Km.) was completed on January 13,2004. However, the total length of the road is 34.5 km. Remaining portion of the Pauri Dehalchouri road is under the State Police Works Department and is not covered by any project sanctioned under PMGSY.